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Application Number: 10/736355

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App. Type	Column A Issue Fee Req. large entity / small entity	Column B Issue Fee PAID	Balance Due. Col. A minus Col. B
UTILITY or REISSUE	\$1,400.00/ \$700.00	\$ 1370.00	\$ 30.00
DESIGN	\$800.00 / \$400.00	\$	\$
PLANT	\$1,100.00 / \$550.00	\$	\$

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Date: March 23, 2005

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# FEE TRANSMITTAL

## For FY 2005

☐ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27

TOTAL AMOUNT OF PAYMENT (\$) 30.00

### Complete if Known

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#### 1. BASIC FILING, SEARCH, AND EXAMINATION FEES

Application Type	FILING FEES		SEARCH FEES		EXAMINATION FEES		Fees Paid (\$)
	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)	
Utility	300	150	500	250	200	100	
Design	200	100	100	50	130	65	
Plant	200	100	300	150	160	80	
Reissue	300	150	500	250	600	300	
Provisional	200	100	0	0	0	0	

#### 2. EXCESS CLAIM FEES

Fee Description	Fee (\$)	Small Entity Fee (\$)
Each claim over 20 (including Reissues)	50	25
Each independent claim over 3 (including Reissues)	200	100
Multiple dependent claims	360	180
<b>Total Claims</b>	<b>Extra Claims</b>	<b>Fee (\$)</b>
- 20 or HP =	x	=
HP = highest number of total claims paid for, if greater than 20.		
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#### 4. OTHER FEE(S)

Non-English Specification, \$130 fee (no small entity discount)  
 Other (e.g., late filing surcharge): Balance of Issue Fee 30.00

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